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Hello,

I disagree with the settlement as I understand it. If Microsoft is allowed to give Microsoft products to schools as restitution it will only further Microsoft's hold on the OS market. It reminds me of IBM 40 years ago. They made a real effort to get IBM mainframes into computer science programs at major universities.

I think that it is more appropriate that Microsoft be fined. Then use the monies to purchase hardware and software. Make the software a mix of Windows, Macs and Linux.

Thank you,

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